

Pictures of World Events for News Readers

In This Department Our Readers in Fulton County and Elsewhere May Journey Around the World With the Camera on the Trail of History Making Happenings.

SERVES AS PRIVATE

SCION OF ITALIAN ROYAL HOUSE IN THE RANKS.

Duke of the Abruzzi's Half-Brother, in Disgrace, Holds Humble Position in the Armies That His Country Has Mustered.

Though almost every royal house in Europe is represented at the front, Italy's alone can boast of a member who is a simple soldier, fighting among the rank and file.

Umberto, count of Salemi, shares the lot and the labors of peasants and workmen. He is stationed at Voghera for the moment, in the regiment of cavalry guides. His regiment will soon be dismounted and go into the trenches.

Then this scion of the house of Savoie will tramp side by side with the rankers and share their trench life on the exposed and difficult Italian outposts on the dangerous plateau called the Carso.

The count is a son of Prince Amedeo, late duke of Aosta, who died 15 years ago. His mother, the duke's second wife, is a Princess Bonaparte. She lives in Turin, and her son, in his soldier's uniform, is allowed to visit her on Sundays, when, with the other men of the troop, he has several hours' leave.

His half-brothers are Emanuel, duke of Aosta; Victor, count of Turin, and Louis, duke of the Abruzzi, once the reputed fiancé of Miss Katherine Elkins. The duke of the Abruzzi now commands Italy's fleet in the Adriatic.

The count of Salemi is the only son of Princess Letitia. He has been in disgrace for several years, though the real story is known to only the most intimate courtiers. While at the Naval college he committed some youthful indiscretion, of which even his fellow cadets had but a vague idea, and the king sent him into exile.

For several years he wandered through Europe, spending months in Russia, the Balkans, Portugal and Spain. Always shy and retiring, never knowing what to do with his great stature and his hands, a splendid linguist, simple in manners, he became a favorite in Russian society.

When the war broke out he wanted to serve his country. He begged the king to allow him to return.

"Yes," came the answer, "but you must serve as a simple soldier if you come back to Italy."

He came back and was drafted into the cavalry guides and sent to the front. When the regiment returned for a few weeks he went with it to the little town of Voghera, its headquarters. He is now returning with it to fight; but this time the regiment fights on foot.

The duke of Salemi performs the same duties as his humbler comrades, and has become so popular that their affection quite embarrasses him sometimes. For instance, when he was going to visit the headquarters of another regiment in Voghera they called out a guard of honor to receive him. "What's the meaning of this?" shouted an officer who happened in.

The count murmured that he supposed it was for him. He asked his comrades never to do such a thing again.

While at the front he distinguished himself by coolness in handling a quick-firing gun. On one occasion, when the men around him were hard pressed, he saved the situation by rallying them.

Medals for A B C Diplomats. Miss Janet Scudder, one of the leading sculptors of this country, will design the three gold medals which are to be presented by the United States to Ambassadors Naon of Argentina; Da Gama of Brazil and Suarez of Chile, commonly known as the "A B C mediators." Secretary Lansing awarded the designing to Miss Scudder.

The medal will bear an inscription stating that they are presented to the ambassadors "for their generous services as mediators in the controversy between the government of the United States and the leaders of the warring parties of the Republic of Mexico."

Miss Scudder lives in New York and takes a prominent part in suffrage work.

Borrowing a Piano.

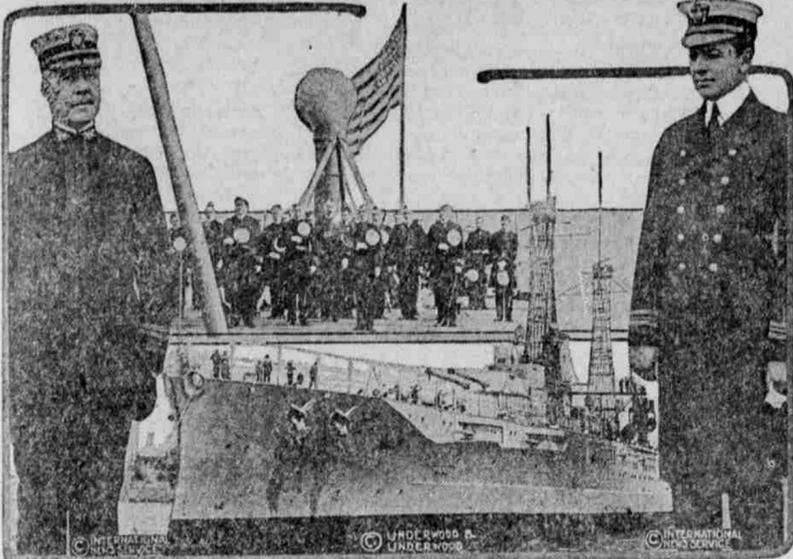
Suburbanites are indulging in various co-operative measures in their thirst for economy, and neighbors are getting accustomed to an extension of the borrowing principle. But one man, who lives not far from Manchester, at least thinks the idea has gone too far. He was surprised the other day by a request for the loan of a piano by a neighbor who was giving a musical evening to some friends. "I have a patriotic reason," he explained, "as I have sold my piano to buy Exchequer bonds." When he was refused he played another card. "Well, perhaps," he said, "you wouldn't mind me bringing my friends here for some music."—Manchester Guardian.

Plan to Domesticate Mink. The United States department of agriculture will attempt to domesticate the mink which has been bred sporadically in captivity for fifty years or so. The large number of types of American mink, no less than ten, prove it to be a "plastic" animal, and the governmental purpose is to develop a higher and more valuable type than any of those now known.

Youngster's Neat Hint. There was some sparkling red cider in the ice box and little Alfred spied it. He wanted some, but could think of no way of getting it except by direct request. He glanced at sister and then back at the cider, remarking: "My, every time I look at that cider I feel so jolly!"

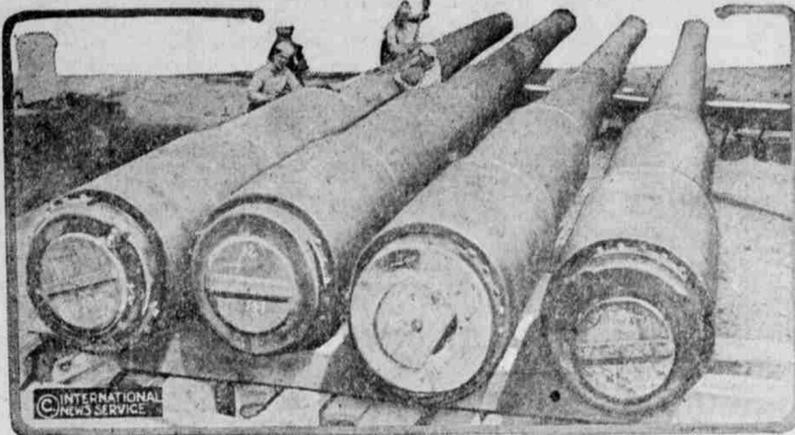
Not Likely to Be Done. To remove the water of the Pacific ocean it would require the filling of a tank a mile wide, a mile deep and a mile long every day for 440 years.

OKLAHOMA, OIL-BURNING SUPERDREADNAUGHT



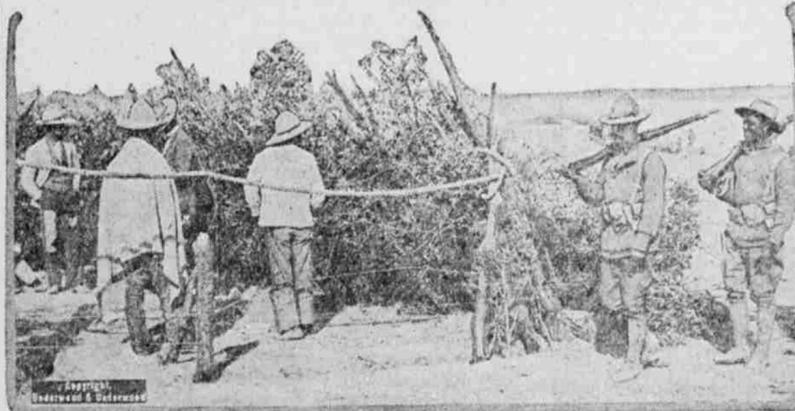
The Oklahoma, oil-burning superdreadnaught, latest addition to America's navy, is here shown at anchor at the Philadelphia navy yard. Above are its officers photographing the flag raising. At the left, Capt. Royer Wells, commander of the Oklahoma, and the right, Lieutenant Commander Adolphus Andrews.

TWELVE-INCH GUNS FOR THE U. S. S. MICHIGAN



These big 12-inch guns are to be placed in position aboard the U. S. S. Michigan, the battleship which is one of a number undergoing repairs and refitting at the League Island navy yard, Philadelphia. The activities at that yard are reminders of war-time preparations, for the work is being rushed with all dispatch.

VILLISTA RAIDERS PRISONERS IN STOCKADE



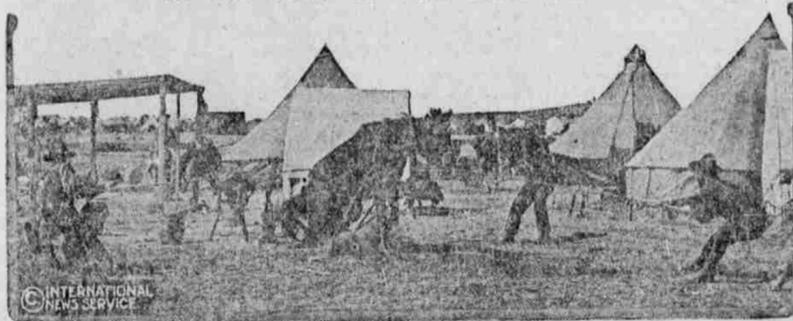
A few of the Villistas who took part in the raid on Columbus, N. M. They are kept in a stockade at Namiquipa, and are closely guarded by several of the colored troopers.

COLORED TROOPS AT CASAS GRANDES



The negro troops that are with the expedition in Mexico are standing the climate and hardships very well. This is a view of their camp at Casas Grandes.

IN THE CAMP OF THE FIFTH CAVALRY



Some of the men of the Fifth cavalry are seen in a struggle with an outlaw horse that needed shoeing and objected to the operation.

YOUNG MARBURG AND HIS BRIDE



Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Harburg, Jr., photographed on their arrival at New York. Mr. Harburg, who is the son of the former minister to Belgium, served in the British flying corps until he lost his leg in an accident. While in the hospital he met the Baroness de Vivaro and they were married on April 10.

FRANCE HONORS AMERICAN



Elliot Cowdin has just been awarded the military medal, the highest wartime distinction of France, in recognition of his valor and aerial efficiency displayed in bringing to earth his third enemy aeroplane. Mr. Cowdin is a member of the American aeroplane squadron. He destroyed his second German aircraft over Verdun a few weeks ago, adding a second palmleaf to the croix de guerre earned nearly a year ago. Recently Cowdin was aloft about 5,000 feet when he found himself face to face with a German Fokker. Although his adversary's machine was far more powerful than Cowdin's, the young New Yorker instantly attacked and destroyed it.

SUFFRAGE PARADE DRESS



"Get your marching clothes on!" is the new slogan of the National American Woman Suffrage association. The marching clothes in question will be worn at the Chicago suffrage parade during the Republican convention and will consist of white skirts and blouses and the new "parade hats," which have just made their appearance. "Guaranteed becoming" is this white sailor with its band of suffrage yellow, which was selected after many styles, shapes, sizes, and shades were considered by the committee who sat on the weighty matter.

Assists Mining-Camp Churches.

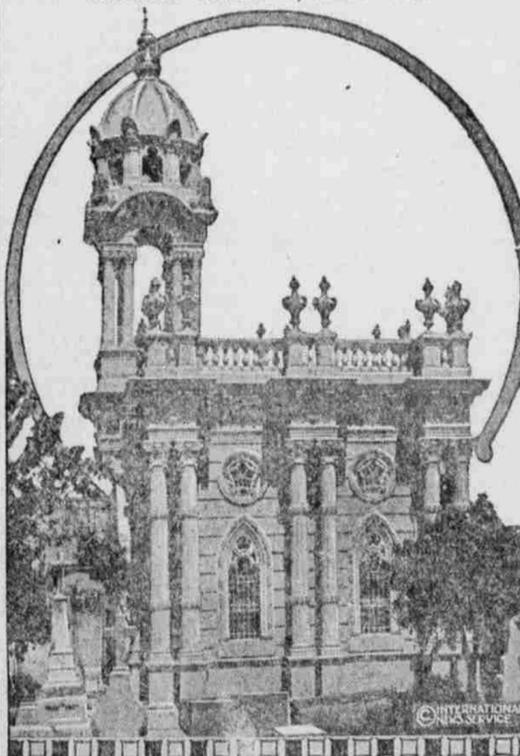
John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has agreed to contribute toward the erection of a Roman Catholic church in Herwind, one of the coal camps of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, and in a letter to officials of the company he promises to co-operate in building both Catholic and Protestant churches in every one of the company's camps where the need of such edifices is apparent.

"Any church work to be successful must be organized and controlled by the community in which it is situated," wrote Mr. Rockefeller, in stipulating that the miners themselves shall run their own churches without the help of the great company.

Fish Attracted by Warm Water.

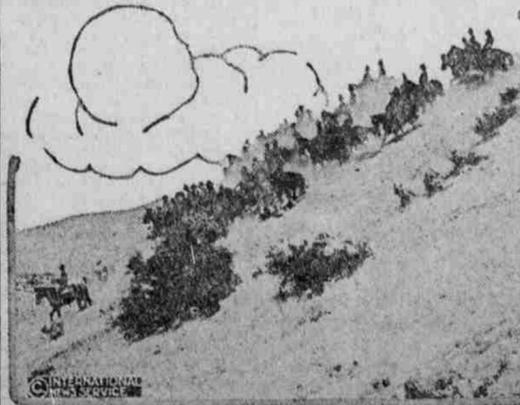
A warm water artesian well on the Arthur Burro farm empties into the river a short distance from Ludden, N. D., the water being warm enough to keep the stream from freezing at that point. Thousands of fish last winter swarmed to this point until they were so thick that they could be shoveled out by the wagonload.

PANCHO VILLA'S FAMILY TOMB



Before the decline of his power, Villa built this ornate tomb in the Chihuahua cemetery for himself and his family.

EIGHTH CAVALRY MAKING FORCED MARCH



The Eighth United States cavalry on a forced march hurrying to one of the bases of supplies in Mexico.

Use Rice as Bread.

At one meal a Jap will eat three or four bowls of rice, each half as large again as a large breakfast cup, in addition to his other food, the rice being merely an accessory like bread.

Jays of Boyhood.

One of the joys of life to the boys of a small town is to have a pretty girl come from the city to visit the sister of one of them for a week.—Toledo Blade.